WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. (currently amended) A compound having the formula I:

$$\begin{array}{c} R1 \\ R2 \\ ()_{o} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} R3 \\ Ring A \\ Y_{1} \\ Y_{2} \\ ()_{n} \\ R5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} R6 \\ R7 \\ O \\ R8 \end{array}$$

in which:

Ring A is a (C₃-C₈)-cycloalkanediyl ring or a (C₃-C₈)-cycloalkenediyl ring,

R1 and R2 are:

- (a) Independently of one another H, F, Cl, Br, CF_3 , OCF_3 , (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, $O-(C_1-C_6)$ -alkyl, SCF_3 , SF_5 , OCF_2 - CHF_2 , (C_6-C_{10}) -aryl, (C_6-C_{10}) -aryloxy, OH, NO_2 ; or
- (b) together with the phenyl, pyridine, 1H-pyrrole, thiophene or furan ring form fused, partially or unsaturated bicyclic (C_6 - C_{10})-aryl, (C_5 - C_{11})-heteroaryl;

R3 is:

H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkyl, (C_1-C_3) -alkyl- (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkyl, phenyl, (C_1-C_3) -alkyl-phenyl, (C_5-C_6) -heteroaryl, (C_1-C_3) -alkyl- (C_5-C_6) -heteroaryl, or (C_1-C_3) -alkyl fully or partially substituted by F;

W is:

- (a) is CH and o = 1, or
- (b) is O, S or NR10 if o = 0;

X is (C_1-C_6) -alkanediyl, wherein one or more carbon atoms of the (C_1-C_6) alkanediyl may be replaced by oxygen atoms;

Y1 is $(CR13R14)_p$, wherein p is 1 or 2;

Y2 is CH2, O, S, SO, SO₂ or NR9;

n is 0-2:

R4 is H, (C1-C6)-alkyl; F if Y2 is not O; NR9;

R5 is H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl; F if Y2 is not O; NR9;

R6 is H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl; or F if n is not 0;

R7 is:

H, F (if n is not 0), (C_1-C_6) -alkoxy, (C_2-C_6) -alkenyl, (C_2-C_6) -alkynyl, (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkyl, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl that may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals selected from the group consisting of:

hydroxyl, phenyl, (C_5-C_{11}) -heteroaryl, (C_1-C_6) -alkoxy and NR11R12, or phenyl that may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more radicals from the group consisting of hydroxy, (C_1-C_6) -alkoxy, F and CF₃,

with the proviso that R7 is not NR11R12 or (C_1-C_6) -alkoxy if R6 = F;

R6 and R7 are together with the carbon atom that carries them (C₃-C₈)-cycloalkyl:

R8 is H or (C_1-C_6) -alkyl;

R9 is:

H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, (C_2-C_6) -alkenyl, (C_2-C_6) -alkynyl, aryl- (C_1-C_4) -alkyl, CO- (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, CO- (C_6-C_{10}) -aryl, CO- (C_1-C_6) -alkyl- (C_6-C_{10}) -aryl, CO- (C_5-C_{11}) -heteroaryl, C(O)- (C_1-C_6) -alkyl- (C_6-C_{10}) -aryl, C(O)- (C_6-C_{10}) -aryl, C(O)- (C_5-C_{11}) -heteroaryl, C(O)- (C_5-C_{11}) -heteroaryl, C(O)- (C_6-C_{10}) -alkyl, C(O)- (C_6-C_{10}) -alkyl- (C_6-C_{10}) -aryl, C(O)- (C_6-C_{10}) -alkyl- (C_6-C_{10}) -alkyl, C(O)- (C_6-C_{10}) -alkyl;

R10 is H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl or (C_1-C_6) -alkyl-phenyl;

R11 is H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl or (C_1-C_6) -alkyl-phenyl;

R12 is H, (C_1-C_6) -alkyl or (C_1-C_6) -alkyl-phenyl;

R13 is H or (C_1-C_6) -alkyl; and

R14 is H or (C_1-C_6) -alkyl; or

a physiologically acceptable salt of the compound;

a solvate of the compound; or

a physiologically active derivative of the compound.

2. (original) The compound of claim 1 in which

Ring A is (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkanediyl or (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkenediyl, wherein one carbon atom of the (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkanediyl ring or the (C_3-C_8) cycloalkenediyl ring may be replaced by an oxygen atom; and

X is (C_1-C_6) -alkanediyl, wherein the C_1 or C_2 carbon atom (to Ring A) may be replaced by an oxygen atom.

3. (original) The compound of claim 1, in which

Ring A is cis-cyclohexane-1,3-diyl;

R1 and R2 are:

independently of one another H, F, CF_3 , (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, $O-(C_1-C_6)$ -alkyl, or phenyl; or together with a phenyl ring of the compound form a naphthyl;

R3 is (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, (C_3-C_8) -cycloalkyl, or phenyl;

W is:

CH if o = 1, or

O or S if o = 0;

X is CH₂-O or CH₂-O-CH₂;

Y1 is CH₂;

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Y2 is CH<sub>2</sub>, O, S, SO, SO<sub>2</sub> or NR9;
n is 0;
R4 is H;
R5 is H;
R6 is H, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, or benzyl;
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R7 is H, (C₁-C₆)-alkyl, (C₃-C₆)-cycloalkyl, phenyl, or benzyl,

R6 and R7 together with the carbon atom that carries them are (C₃-C₆)-cycloalkyl;

R8 is H: and

R9 is:

H, or

 (C_1-C_6) -alkyl, which may be unsubstituted or substituted by:

 (C_3-C_6) -cycloalkyl, phenyl, (C_5-C_6) -heteroaryl; $CO-(C_1-C_6)$ -alkyl, $CO-(C_1-C_6)$ alkyl-phenyl, CO-phenyl, C(O)-O-(C₁-C₆)-alkyl, CO-NH-phenyl, SO₂-(C₁-C₄)alkyl, SO_2 -(C_1 - C_4)-alkyl- SO_2 -(C_1 - C_4)-alkyl, SO_2 -tolyl, or a combination thereof, wherein the phenyl of the substituent for its part may be substituted by O-(C₁-C₃)-alkyl;

a physiologically acceptable salt of the compound;

- a solvate of the compound; or
- a physiologically acceptable derivative of the compound.
- 4. (original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound of Claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 5. (original) The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 4, further comprising an active compound for treating and/or preventing a metabolic disorder or a disease associated with the metabolic disorder.
- 6. (original) The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 4, further comprising an antidiabetic.

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7.
        (original) The pharmaceutical composition of Claim 4, further comprising a lipid
modulator.
8. -15. (withdrawn)
16.
        (original) The compound of Claim 2, in which
Ring A is cis-cyclohexane-1,3-diyl;
R1 and R2 are:
independently of one another H, F, CF<sub>3</sub>, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)-alkyl, O-(C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)-alkyl, or phenyl; or
together with a phenyl ring of the compound form a naphthyl;
R3 is (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_3-C_8)-cycloalkyl, or phenyl;
W is:
CH if o = 1, or
O or S if o = 0;
X is CH_2-O or CH_2-O-CH_2;
Y1 is CH<sub>2</sub>;
Y2 is CH<sub>2</sub>, O, S, SO, SO<sub>2</sub> or NR9;
n is 0;
R4 is H;
R5 is H;
R6 is H, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, or benzyl;
R7 is H, (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, (C_3-C_6)-cycloalkyl, phenyl, or benzyl,
R6 and R7 together with the carbon atom that carries them are (C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>)-cycloalkyl;
R8 is H; and
R9 is:
       H, or
        (C_1-C_6)-alkyl, which may be unsubstituted or substituted by:
               (C_3-C_6)-cycloalkyl, phenyl, (C_5-C_6)-heteroaryl; CO-(C_1-C_6)-alkyl, CO-(C_1-C_6)-
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alkyl-phenyl, CO-phenyl, C(O)-O-(C_1 - C_6)-alkyl, CO-NH-phenyl, SO₂-(C_1 - C_4)-

alkyl, SO₂-(C₁-C₄)-alkyl-SO₂-(C₁-C₄)-alkyl, SO₂-tolyl, or a combination thereof,

wherein the phenyl of the substituent for its part may be substituted by O-(C1-

C₃)-alkyl;

a physiologically acceptable salt of the compound;

a solvate of the compound; or

a physiologically acceptable derivative of the compound.

17.-23. (withdrawn)

24. (original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound of Claim 2 and a

pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

25. (original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound of Claim 3 and a

pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

26. (original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the compound of Claim 16 and a

pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

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